

# Stage and Film Gossip of Interest to Theatre Goers

## ORACLE THEATRE

"Always Something Good."

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Thrilling! Absorbing! A Red Feather Photoplay in five parts.

### "Sons of Satan"

One of the best detective dramas ever shown in Ogden.

"SONS OF SATAN"

A masterly photoplay of unique situations and novel scenic effects. The crook who poses as a detective is a character new in the film-drama and under fine direction of Geo. L. Tucker, who produced the masterpiece, "Traffic in Souls," we have a production we recommend highly. "SONS OF SATAN" will be shown two days only—

Sunday and Monday

TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY

Harry D. Carey, Jane Novak and Hobart Henley in

### "Grinding Down Life"

5th story of "Graft" Series.

COMING NEXT SUNDAY AND MONDAY

CYRIL SCOTT in a Red Feather Photoplay—Watch for it.

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## Orpheum Theatre

SUNDAY, MONDAY, TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY

William Fox Presents

Theda Bara In "The Serpent"



"THE SERPENT" WILLIAM FOX PRODUCTION

Like the Serpent that tempted Eve in the Garden of Eden, is the modern role of the Screen Vampire A STARTLING AND TREMENDOUSLY POWERFUL NEW PHOTO DRAMA Theda Bara as "Vania" in "The Serpent," again shines in Vampire Role. The play deals with a Russian Serf's Beautiful Daughter, who, trod beneath the Heel of a Duke, Bares Her Fangs at Mankind. Tremendous Battle Scenes. Wonderful Photography. Great Acting. Admission 5c-10c. First Performance at 7 p. m.

ed by Mr. Ince as soon as he finishes work on the photoplay on which he is now engaged. The story is out of the ordinary and especially suited to Anita Stewart, who will enact the leading character.

The James Oliver Curwood story, on which Rollin S. Sturgeon, has been at work in the mountains of California, is expected to be finished and shipped East some time next week. It is reported that this story is one of the best turned out by the Western Division in some time, and in view of some of their past work we can expect to see a remarkable photoplay. It will be in five-part Feature.

Within the next week or ten days Director Theodore Marston with a company of Vitaphone Players, will leave the Flatbush Studios for San Antonio, Texas, where he will film important scenes in a coming Blue Ribbon Feature written by Louis Joseph Vance.

Huntly H. Gordon, who lately appeared with Ethel Barrymore, has been appointed a member of the Vitaphone Bay Shore Stock Company by Director Ralph W. Ince. Mr. Gordon is an actor of ability and is wellknown to legitimate theatergoers.

## "FORTY NINERS" ARE PICTURED

Stupendous Production in Which Miss Fannie Ward Stars Entitled "Tennessee's Partner."

Miss Fannie Ward, the popular comedienne, who has given up her work on the legitimate stage to appear exclusively in photoplay productions of the Jesse L. Lasky Feature Play Company, will be seen in her third photoplay on the Paramount Program February 3d, in a picturization of Scott Marble's play, "Tennessee's Partner," suggested by Bret Harte's story. Exceptional interest is felt in this production, in view of the recent enormous success achieved by Miss Ward in Cecil B. De Mille's production, "The Cheat." Previously Miss Ward had appeared in "The Marriage of Kitty."

"Tennessee's Partner" is entirely different from either of Miss Ward's previous photoplays. The scenes are laid in the far west in the days when the "forty-niners" crossed the continent, lured by the promise of great riches in the gold regions. Miss Ward will play the role of "Tennessee," a child whose parents are separated during the journey across the desert and who is left in care of her father's friend when her father is killed. Some of the scenes in the production were taken in San Fernando Mission, a Jesuit mission built about 1,800 which is one of a string of missions extending from Mexico to Monterey and situated about a day's journey apart.

Other portions of the production were made in the great American desert, and one of the interesting features of the picture is the use of an old-time stage coach which was obtained by the Lasky company in a little village in Nevada.

In addition of the star, the cast will include Jack Dean, Charles Clary, Jessie Mae Arnold,

DOES MARRIAGE END ROMANCE? She thought so because her husband neglected her for his work. Then, the other man steps in and is just about to win her, when—but see that absorbing play—

## 'The Edge of the Abyss'

A perfect company—MARY BOLAND, John Drew's leading lady, WILLARD MACK, ROBERT M'KIM AND FRANK MILLS.

Final showing of this deeply entertaining play tonight.

AND

The Keystone everyone is talking about—

## "The Submarine Pirate"

Featuring Syd. Chaplin and his merry crew. 4000 laughs and thrills. Syd. is some submarine expert. Don't miss this. Laughable to the extreme, thrills galore and instructive.

LAST TIME TONIGHT.

TOMORROW (SUNDAY) another great Triangle-Griffith splendidly produced feature, with HELEN WARE—TEDDY SAMPSON—COURTENAY FOOTE in

## "Cross Currents"

An appealing story of a woman's supreme sacrifice for the man she loves. Two sisters love a man; the older gives away that the child of the younger may enjoy its heritage. A tale of sea and land; of shipwreck and life on a desert isle and in the big cities. A play you won't forget and a romance that will hold your undivided interest.

FOLLOW THE CROWDS TO THE OGDEN; WHATEVER IS BEST IN THE PICTURE WORLD, PLAYS HERE.

## The Ogden Theatre

"The World's Greatest Photoplays." 5c and 10c.

## WEEK OF SURPRISES AT THE OGDEN

Another Strong Program at Ogden's Popular Theatre—Famous Stars and Great Plays.

One of Ogden's prominent citizens and a regular attendant at the moving picture houses made the statement a short time ago that of all the programs presented in this town, he liked the Ogden theatre's the best because the features and comedies seen there were bright, original and new and he could always look forward to being entertained when he attended The Ogden. Every week the plays seem to get better, and the producers are never satisfied, always trying to improve and hold the lead they have at present.

The Ogden's program for next week is certainly a winner, and you have a real treat in store for you. For tomorrow, Sunday, and continuing Monday, Helen Ware, the famous legitimate star, and one of the highest salaried actresses on the stage, with a selected company, including Teddy Sampson & Courtenay Foote, appear in the celebrated Triangle-Griffith splendidly produced play, "Cross Currents," and all the eastern critics acclaim this is one of the most interesting, best acted and most perfectly produced photoplays appearing this season.

With such a fine company of players, and being directed by the master hand of D. W. Griffith, it is no wonder this play has been so favorably received everywhere. In addition to "Cross Currents," the latest release of the Heart-Vitaphone News will be shown, depicting the latest happenings all over the world.

Tuesday and Wednesday, the elaborate and most expensively staged Vitaphone production "The Island of Surprise," with William Courtenay, the favorite Broadway star, Eleanor Woodruff, Zena Keefe, and selected company of players, will be presented. This photoplay was produced by the same company that made "The Battle Cry of Peace," so you will know it needs no further recommendation. It is described as a romantic thriller; a tense love story with plenty of action. One scene shows a U. S. Warship bombarding the island, in the fight with the 2000 savages; each shot from the eight pounder cost the Vitaphone company \$500; this is just an instance of the expense and detail the big companies go to nowadays. A thrilling railroad wreck and other happenings keep your interest keyed up every minute. On the same program as "The Island of Surprise" the Keystone comedy, "Dizzy Heights and Daring Hearts," featuring Chester Conklin, will be shown. This is one of the fastest moving and most laughable Keystones yet presented. You will see aeroplanes loop the loop,

## ISIS Theatre

TONIGHT

### Stingaree

The Australian Bandit, with excellent program.

SUNDAY AND MONDAY

### The Galloper

Gold Rooster Play.

Five-part comedy drama of the well known stage success

### Chas. Chaplin

"TANGO TANGLE."

A genuine laugh.

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and race with each other through space; a factory chimney 200 feet high blown up, and just one thrill after another. Kitty Kelley, the dramatic critic on the Chicago Tribune said this was the best Keystone she had seen.

Thursday, Friday and Saturday, two of the most popular Triangle stars, William S. Hart and House Peters, appear in the tremendously strong Triangle-Ince feature, "Between Men," Enid Markey, who has made many friends since appearing in Triangle features, is also in this play, wearing some beautiful and expensive gowns. And, our friends, the world famous comedians, Weber and Fields, appear in their new skit, "The Worst of Friends"; they are exceedingly funny in this Keystone, and are surrounded by a bevy of Keystone beauties. In a bathing scene. You surely will enjoy this comedy.

The Ogden should do a big business next week, with such strong attractions and celebrated stars, and it will sure pay you to keep your eye on this popular theatre.

## "SONS OF SATAN" AT ORACLE THEATRE

Strong Play Will Be Presented Tomorrow and Monday Only.

Graft and duplicity eventually come to a bitter end, although the path at the start may be as rosy as that of Henry Normand, leader of a band of notorious thieves while posing as Paul de Villereau, a noted French detective. While leading this Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde existence de Villereau falls in love with an actress, Winifred West, who is engaged to Lord Desford, son of the Earl of Littleborough.

De Villereau plans to get Winifred in his power and intends to use Lady Littleborough, who has written a letter that will involve her fair name, which the crook gets possession of. The Desford jewels are about to be presented to Winifred and with the aid of Lady Littleborough, de Villereau plans to steal them.

The robbery is consummated and de Villereau is engaged in his capacity of detective to run down the thieves. He intimates that Winifred is guilty, but Desford refuses to believe

him. Dick Fenton, an amateur detective, then enters the field and suspecting the actress is the victim of a plot, learns of Lady Littleborough's part in the robbery. Fenton disguises himself as de Villereau to gain entrance to the quarters of the criminals and learns of a plot to kidnap Winifred. He has many exciting adventures in trying to prevent the kidnapping, finally enlisting the aid of Scotland Yard men. Fenton tells them who de Villereau really is. The arch criminal has succeeded in getting Winifred in his power and is planning to carry her to a foreign country when Lord Desford, Fenton and the police gain an entrance to the criminals' stronghold. It is then that the arch criminal drives up with the jewels and is arrested. Realizing that the game is up, he faces the victors smilingly and takes a puff of a cigarette which kills him instantly. Winifred is exonerated and Desford takes her for his bride.

## DUSTIN FARNUM IN POWERFUL DRAMA

Staged in the mountain country of the well-known Thousand Pines, a favorite elevation for California mountain climber and known to painters the world over for its natural beauty, "The Call of the Cumberlands," starring Dustin Farnum and adapted from the well-known book of the same name, has proven to be one of the most meritorious film offerings seen this season in point of scenic and photographic beauty. As is commonly known, Charles Neville Buck's story carries a powerful dramatic theme together with a touch of heart-interest which is the reason for the fact that the book is recorded as one of the best sellers. Pallas Pictures, who produced this picture for Paramount, took particular pains to present the subject with all its dramatic no expense of time and labor to give the story proper interpretation on the screen.

## Well Known Artists To Appear in Movies

Director Wilfrid North is arranging for the appearance of several artists of repute to appear in a six-part Blue Ribbon Feature on which he is about to start work. The story calls for the showing of many studio interiors. The artists will be seen individually (closeups) at their canvases with brushes and palette in hand, and we will be made acquainted with men whose names are familiar, but whom we have never seen. Another scene of this picture calls for an art exhibit in which many beautiful paintings will be shown.

Edward J. Montagne, of the Vitaphone Scenario Staff, who has supplied Ralph W. Ince with many scenarios in the past, has just completed a five-part drama-



ROBERT WARWICK WORLD FILM STAR

## ALHAMBRA SUNDAY EVENING

CONTINUING MONDAY

ROBERT WARWICK in "FRUITS OF DESIRE." THEODORE ROBERTS in "PUDD'N HEAD WILSON." TWO BIG PARAMOUNTS.

At a Single Price, 5c and 10c Open 5:30; Curtain 6 p. m.

Start with the beginning of a feature—6:00, 7:15, 8:30, 9:45 p. m. COMING CHICAGO TRIBUNE MONDAY AND TUESDAY WAR PICTURES DOUBLE BILL FANNIE WARD in "TENNESSEE'S PARTNER." A COMBINATION OF ALL THAT IS GOOD WILL BE FOUND IN THE THEATRE THAT IS WORLD RENOWN

## REX

TODAY AND TOMORROW

### "Inspiration"

The Nude Truth.

Picture featuring Audrey Munson, and a Keystone Comedy "LOVE, SPEED AND THRILLS."

5c

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## LYCEUM

SUNDAY

### "HELEN'S PERILOUS ESCAPE"

4th episode of "The Girl and the Game."

### 'In The Sunset Country'

Two-reel Western.

Geo. Ovey in a Cub Comedy "AROUND THE WORLD."